



## Our Lady of Mercy Parish

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**St. Thomas' Terang**

**St. Colman's Mortlake**

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Parish Safeguarding Officer ~ Julie Duynhoven ~ "We are a Child Safe Parish"

### SCHOOL PRINCIPALS

**St. Thomas' Terang** ~ Mr. Matthew Uzkuraitis Ph 5592 1925

**St. Colman's Mortlake** ~ Ms Janet Cain Ph 5599 2285

**Mercy Regional College** ~ Ms Sharon Gillett Ph 5593 2011

Our Lady of Mercy Parish acknowledge and respect the traditional custodians of this land the Kirrae Wuurong people.

## 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time

## 3rd & 4th February 2024

### RECENT DEATHS:

ANNIVERSARIES: Olive Coolahan, Jack Ewing, Dawn Stapleton, Rachael Meade



### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

*(Names placed on the sick list will remain for 3 weeks unless otherwise notified)*

**SUPPORTING OUR PARISHES:** Thank you for your ongoing support of our Parishes

**Weekend 27th & 28th January 2024** TERANG / MORTLAKE

**1st Collection** \$ 450.10

### Planned Giving Program Week 26

**2nd Collection** \$ 367.00

**Average given** \$ 1,628.69

**Amount promised per week** \$ 1,527.06

### TERANG & MORTLAKE ROSTERS:

**LINEN: FEBRUARY** Terang: Bernadette McKinnon Mortlake: Claire Adams

**FLOWERS:** 11th February ~ Mortlake: Judy McDonald  
14th February - 29th March ~ LENT - No flowers or cleaning required

**Mortlake Set Up: FEBRUARY** - Gertie MacDonald

### Liturgy Rosters: Weekend ~ 10th & 11th February 2024

### READERS: 1st & 2nd Reading & Prayers of the Faithful

**Terang** Saturday 6.00 pm: Jenni Lenehan Sunday 10.30 am: Bernadette McKinnon

**Mortlake** Sunday 9.00 am: St Colman's School

**Offertory: Terang Sat 6pm:** Mick & Trish Lee **Sun 10.30am:** Mick & Lorraine Meade

**Mortlake Sunday 9.00 am:** St Colman's School

**Eucharistic Minister: Terang Sat 6pm:** Elizabeth Clarke **Sun 10.30am:** Bernadette Wurlod

**Music Mortlake Sun 9.00 am:** Donna Baxter

**Lap Top Terang: Sat 6.00pm:** Noel & Adele Richards **Sun 10.30am:** Bernadette Wurlod

### Weekday Masses

We welcome Fr Jim McKay who will be celebrating Mass with us for February.

We will have our usual Masses on Saturday & Sundays

**Terang:** Sat 6pm & Sun 10.30am  
**Mortlake:** Sun 9.00am

### WEEKEND MASS TIMES

#### ST THOMAS' TERANG

Saturday 6.00 pm  
Sunday 10.30 am

#### ST COLMAN'S MORTLAKE

Sunday 9.00 am

#### Next Weeks Readings:

10th & 11th February 2024

**1st read:** Lev 13: 1-2, 44-46  
**2nd read:** 1 Cor 10: 31- 11: 1  
**Gospel:** Mk 1: 40-45

**Terang Mortlake St Vincent de Paul Conference**

All enquiries for assistance are treated in strict confidence.

**Ph: 0459 047 620**



## *Aberlea Inc Mortlake*

The contribution of family and friends and the wider Mortlake community is invaluable to the ongoing success of Aberlea. So we'd like to take this opportunity to say thank you!

On behalf of Aberlea and our newly established Community Engagement Committee we're inviting you to join us for a BBQ lunch at Aberlea on

## **Sunday 18th February**

All the family and friends of Aberlea residents, and the many amazing volunteers who regularly assist and support us, are welcome.

As well as our way of saying 'Thank You', the day is also a great opportunity to meet the new Community Engagement Committee members, have your say about what sort of projects and activities you would like the new committee to focus on in 2024, and earn how you can become involved!

**We looking forward to seeing you there.**

**Where: Aberlea Hyland Street entrance When: 12:30pm - 3.00pm**

**Cost: Free**

**RSVP: Essential by Monday 12th February on 5599 2901 or [admin@aberlea.com.au](mailto:admin@aberlea.com.au)**

### **150th Anniversary of the Diocese of Ballarat**

The Diocese of Ballarat will turn 150 on March 30, 2024.

During this year there will be many events to acknowledge this significant anniversary. Keep up-to-date at the diocesan website

<https://www.ballarat.catholic.org.au/our-diocese/150th-anniversary-of-the-diocese-of-ballarat/>

### **Convent Garden ~ Last chance**

We have been in discussions about the Convent/Office garden for quite a while.

The entire area needs a good tidy up, as it has been neglected for too long.

Matt Clarke will begin work to clean up the office/convent gardens this week.  
**If anyone would like any of the roses or to take cuttings, please help yourself, as they will be removed this week.**

### **Weekend Bulletins**

There will be copies of the weekend bulletin outside the office door - after mass on Sundays, for those who are unable to get to Mass or cannot access the internet